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In early January 1954, Oberstleutnant Dr. Erich Bruns of the Seehydrographischer Dienst der VP See (Sea Police Maritime Hydrographical Service) (SHD), who had received orders from the Soviet High Commission in Germany to submit a report on the areas in West Germany capable of being naturally or artificially inundated, learned from officials at the State Secretariat, Shipping, that both natural and artificial inundations were not important enough for a detailed report.

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